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By ECF and E-mail

The Honorable Raymond J. Dearie  
United States District Judge  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: United States v. Jessie Smith, et al.  
Criminal Docket No. 19-284 (RJD)

Dear Judge Dearie:

On June 26, 2019, an Indictment was unsealed charging the defendant Jessie Smith and others with multiple narcotics-distribution counts. (ECF Nos. 1, 6.) A grand jury returned a Superseding Indictment on December 19, 2019; a Second Superseding Indictment on June 11, 2020; and a Third Superseding Indictment on October 14, 2020. (See ECF Nos. 65, 107, 124.) On April 16, 2021, the defendant pleaded guilty to the two counts in the Third Superseding Indictment. (See ECF No. 142.) Now that the Court has sentenced the defendant to 15 years' imprisonment for those counts (see Sept. 19, 2022 Minute Entry), the government respectfully submits this letter to seek dismissal of the underlying Indictment, Superseding Indictment and Second Superseding Indictment solely as to the defendant.

Respectfully submitted,

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